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Lansing City Council Calls Special Meeting Regarding Welcoming Cities Resolution

The Lansing City Council has scheduled an April 3, 2017 special meeting of the Lansing City Council to specifically deliberate on the Welcoming Cities Resolution currently before the Council. The issue was initially scheduled for deliberation at the regularly scheduled March 27, 2017 City Council Meeting.

"Because this issue is so important to the community and because we have a couple Council Members who are unable to attend the March 27th meeting including myself, I have convened the April 3, 2017 City Council Meeting. This ensures that we have as many Council Members present as possible for the deliberation and passage of such an important resolution", said Patricia Spitzley, President of the Lansing City Council. The discussion on the passage of a resolution began at the February 13, 2017 Lansing City Council Meeting. Council Members have been diligently working with the Lansing City Attorney to craft a resolution that reflects the values of the City of Lansing and the region. "The proposed resolution has been vetted with the City Attorney addressing the legal issues he has raised. This resolution also has input from the Mayor." said Carol Wood, Vice-President of the Lansing City Council.

Monday, April 3, 2017 6:00 p.m.

City of Lansing
City Hall, City Council Chambers
124 W. Michigan Avenue, 10<sup>th</sup> Floor
Lansing, Michigan

This is a public meeting and the public is encouraged to attend. This will be the only item on the agenda, and input will be appreciated.